

## English 12

### *Girls Like Us* : Vocabulary Terms

Directions: Every week you will have a vocabulary quiz based on these lists. Study for these quizzes by looking up the word's definition, writing it out and writing each word in a sophisticated, coherent sentence.

#### Pre-reading

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
memoir	front cover	bawdy	i	heinous	iii
revelatory	back cover	optimistic	i	prosecutor	iii
riveting	i	indifference	i	classism	iii
circumstances	i	atrocities	ii	misogyny	iii
complexities	i	manifests	ii	eloquent	iii
sympathy	i	empathy	ii	ravages	iii
articulate	i	conscience	ii	exploitation	iii
visceral	i	exploited	iii	introspective	iii
call to action	i				

#### Prologue

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
petulant	1	placid	10
sullen	1	irrationally	10
on-call staff	2	vehemence	10
fanfare	3	accost	10
Dickensian	3	subsides	10
semblance	3	continent	10
sparseness	3	vulnerable	10
remote	3	plight	10
flanking	4	brothel	11
incongruous	4	polyester	11
vehemently	4	isolated	11

gait	4	invariably	11
warily	4	incomprehension	11
incredulity	5	ludicrous	11
erroneous	6	phenomenon	11
jostle	6	sane	12
vigorously	7	lurking	12
adamantly	7	insidious	12
pantomime	7	lure	12
reconcile	8	seduce	12
stilettos	8	median	12
bravado	8	groomed	13
disdainful	8	vilified	13
confidentially	9	insurmountable	13
enraged	9	indicate	13

## Chapter 1: Learning

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
epidemic	15	pronouncement	21
oppressed	15	reverberate	21
misery	15	conjure	21
suffocating	15	evokes	21
arduous	15	burgeoning	22
leers	16	sparse	22
shanked	16	resume	22
riot	16	desolate	22
incarceration	16	scorned	23
empathy	16	shunned	23
scant	16	mocked	23

hustle	17	jarring	23
implicit	17	snide	23
admonishments	17	woefully	24
tenuous	18	naive	24
plaintive	18	platitudes	24
oblige	18	negotiate	24
ubiquitous	18	bureaucratic	24
notorious	18	endemic	24
raucous	18	plight	24
prosecution	19	tedious	24
inevitably	19	albeit	24
deflect	19	reluctantly	24
subdued	19	scornful	24
unobtrusive	19	quota	25
sauntered	20	prerequisite	25
hastily	20	crude	25
naivete	20	systematic	25
reluctant	20	predator	26
pockmarked	20	insurmountable	26
gasp	20	reiterated	27
assent	21		

## Chapter 2: Risk

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
keener	29	adamant	30
contagious	29	rallying	30
utilize	29	testament	30
inventive	29	quintessential	30

permissive	30	chirpy	36
chagrin	30	facade	36
smocks	30	lurks	36
intrusive	31	fearmongering	37
pine	31	stoops	37
conscious	31	revel	37
palatial	31	olive skin	37
replete	31	maim	37
resented	32	prevalence	37
indifference	32	invincibility	38
distorted	32	novelty	38
dodgy	33	gait	38
conflation	33	strungout	38
risk factors	33	scorned	38
quantifying	33	stigma	38
predicative	33	ravaged	39
extrapolating	34	disintegrate	39
underscores	34	vials	39
magnitude	34	disproportionately	39
vulnerable	34	pervasive	39
vacuum	34	fractured	39
affluent	34	borough	40
pathologies	34	hipsters	40
ministry	34	reverberate	40
smug	35	thrive	40
enthralled	35	priming	41
perturb	35	stave	41
sparse	36	posh	42
calling	36	disdain	42

fare	42	sensational	44
monotony	42	starkly	45
scorn	42	unsubstantiated	45
dexterity	42	trauma	45
cack handed	42	trolls	45
pallets	42	virtue	45
indignation	43	enamored	45
potpourri	43	manipulate	46
requisite	44	coerced	46
comply	44	perpetrator	46
systemic	44	inevitably	44

### Chapter 3: Family

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
comatose	47	quota	51
perplexed	47	meted	51
devastated	47	perished	51
fervently	47	unfathomable	51
pall	48	edict	51
reluctantly	48	litany	52
logical	48	severity	52
linger	48	setbacks	52
cursory	49	nurturing	52
raucous	50	recovery	52
irreparably	50	fleeting	53
semiconscious	50	whiny	53
tolerate	50	expectantly	53
resilient	54	indicative	58

depictions	54	distorted	59
yuletide	54	facsimile	59
entailed	55	prevalent	59
ascertain	55	idolize	59
diligently	55	predestined	59
fuss	55	envious	59
ponders	55	impending	60
reprieve	55	adamant	61
strife	56	hypervigilant	61
plaintive	56	yearning	62
perpetual	56	tangible	62
replicated	56	theoretically	62
pseudo	56	diatribe	63
implicitly	56	self-righteous	63
explicitly	56	reluctant	64
aggression	57	conviction	64
nonexistent	57	heinous	64
normalcy	57	burden	65
		tenets	65

#### Chapter 4: Recruitment

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
scowl	67	shuns	72
warding	67	macabre	72
bustle	68	vulnerability	73
bedraggled	69	finesse	73
upheaval	69	shrewd	73
hustling	70	subsequent	

utterly	74	alleviate	77
subdued	74	vulnerabilities	78
engender	74	erroneous	78
facilitated	74	coercion	79
dwindled	74	dictated	79
pangs	74	hindsight	79
rationing	74	impulsivity	79
hindrance	75	agency	80
epiphany	75	cognizant	80
voyeur	76	self-worth	81
evicted	76	prodding	81
accusatory	77	phonics	81
judgmental	77	viable	82
concede	77	chastity	82
naive	77	bleak	82
coerced	77	toxic	82
implications	77		

## Chapter 5: Pimps

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
instructive	83	demeanor	85
proclivities	83	complaint	85
disingenuous	83	perpetual	86
sidle	83	sleazy	86
spiel	83	caricature	86
clientele	84	baritone	86
persistent	85	enraptured	86
groggy	85	volatile	87

contextualize	87	alleged	93
inundated	87	polygamy	94
benign	87	guerrilla	94
glorification	87	savvy	94
culprit	87	verity	94
misogynistic	87	syndicate	94
unequivocally	87	demonizing	94
blatant	88	conflated	94
degradation	88	vast	94
permeate	88	accountable	95
ostensibly	88	exploitation	95
aghast	89	coercion	95
validation	89	employ	95
vigorously	89	vulnerable	95
denigrated	89	myriad	96
risque	89	antebellum	97
offensive	89	paternalistic	97
venerable	89	condescending	97
subsequent	90	justifications	97
emblematic	90	rationalizations	97
nonchalant	90	wake	97
viciously	91	bizarre	98
binge	91	cohorts	98
dwell	92	loathing	99
premonition	92	fleeting	99
resigned	93	advocate	99
invariably	93	nuanced	99
sincere	93	callousness	99



## Chapter 6: Johns

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
trickle	101	ostensibly	106
cardigan	101	leered	106
reverie	101	propositioned	106
futile	102	moniker	107
harlot	103	pedophiles	107
ruminations	103	underlying	108
discreetly	103	legitimately	108
savvy	103	commodifies	108
gauge	104	salaciously	108
passive	104	fodder	110
destitute	104	trivializes	111
dubious	104	distinction	111
beck and call	105	erroneously	111
dream-weaving	105	prolific	112
rationalize	105	allocution	112
indignity	105	strategic	112
exploit	105	replete	113
unbidden	106	mutilated	113
vast	106	porcelain	113

## Chapter 7: Victims

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
propelling	115	boot money	115
sparse	115	lurking	116
joint roaches	115	Accordance	116
Hustle	115	vacillating	116

Hilfe	117	apathetic	125
relents	119	the track	125
Polezie	120	"theft of services"	125
precinct	120	culpability	125
disheveled	120	imputed	125
empathetic	120	disparaged	125
chain-smoking	121	blatantly	125
Hure	122	mocked	125
das bordell	122	askew	126
credible	123	construction Timbs	126
complainant	123	bodega	127
vilified	123	sullen	127
bystander	123	"gone shopping"	127
loose woman	123	preppy	127
precinct	120	ADA	128
disheveled	120	disdain	128
empathetic	120	leering	128
chain-smoking	121	branded	129
Hure	122	prey	129
das bordell	122	ineffectual	129
credible	123	advocate	129
complainant	123	smug	129
vilified	123	disingenuous	130
bystander	123	excruciating	130
loose woman	123	incarcerated	130
skeptical	124	pummeling	131
rationale	125	impeccable	131
undocumented	124	articulate	131
johns	124	skewed	132

## Chapter 8: Cops

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
baby jail	133	statutory rape	139
institution	133	fraud	139
rehabilitation	133	coercion	139
petty larceny	133	double standards	139
post-super-predator world	133	brothel	139
outreach	133	safe house	139
disdainful	134	disproportionately	139
double-Dutch	134	criminal justice system	139
kites	135	commercial sex industry	139
flourish	135	sexually lascivious	140
rapidity	135	disparity	140
reluctant	135	domestically trafficked girls	140
tricks	135	bias	140
conventional wisdom	136	allocated	140
track	136	public perception	140
prevalence	136		
depicting	136	Nexis search	141
interrogations	136	Associated Press	141
absurdity	136	ticker	141
explicit	136	media bias	141
incarcerating	137	turbulent	141
detaining	137	precocious	142
social worker	137	titillating	142
arrest quotas	138	dissection	142

Queens Plaza	138	eulogies	142
mocked	138	promiscuous	142
stigmatized	138	hypersexual	142
therapeutic placement	138	Jezebel	142
two-tiered response	139	stereotype	142

## Chapter 8: Cops (continued)

	<u>page</u>		<u>page</u>
imputed	142	quintessential	145
trifecta	142	dignity	146
staunch advocate	142	vent	146
precedent	142	scoured	146
shelter	143	apathy	146
reluctant	143	moniker	147
"proper moral principles"	143	NHI	147
appellate court	143	jargon	147
New York State legislature	143		147
David vs. Goliath	143		
redress	143		
systemic	143		
prosecutor	144		
lucid	144		
case manager	144		
guardian	144		
sheepish	145		
banter	145		
profane	145		

